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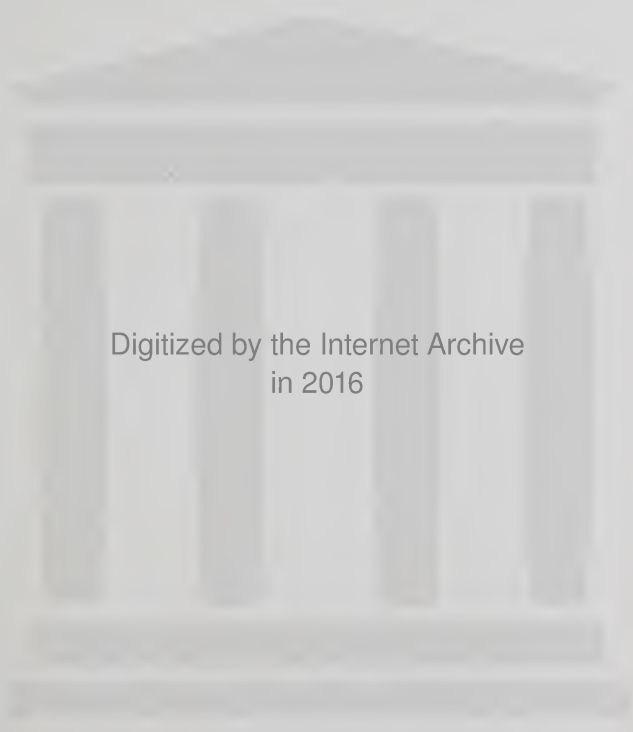
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Biography

MARVEL MILLS LOGAN was born on a farm near Brownsville, Edmonson County, Ky., January 7, 1875; educated in the public schools and in private schools at Leitchfield and Brownsville, Ky.; taught school and also conducted a training school for teachers; studied law, was admitted to the bar in 1896, and commenced practice in Brownsville, Ky.; served as chairman of the Edmonson County Democratic Executive Committee 1896-1912; chairman of the board of trustees of Brownsville 1897; served as county attorney of Edmonson County 1902-3; assistant attorney general of Kentucky 1912-15; served as attorney general of Kentucky 1915-17; chairman of the State Democratic convention in 1916; chairman of the Kentucky Tax Commission 1917-18; moved to Louisville, Ky., in 1918 and to Bowling Green, Ky., in 1922 and continued the practice of law; member of the State board of education, the State board of sinking fund commissioners, and the State board of printing commissioners; served as a justice of the Court of Appeals of Kentucky 1926-30 and as chief justice in 1931; elected as a Democrat to the United States Senate in 1930; reelected in 1936, and served from March 4, 1931, until his death; appointed a member of Board of Regents, Smithsonian Institution in 1933; died in Washington, D. C., October 3, 1939; interment in the Logan family cemetery near Brownsville, Ky.

In the House of Representatives

MONDAY, *March 25, 1940.*

Mr. BULWINKLE. Mr. Speaker, I have sent to the Clerk's desk the usual resolution providing for memorial services for deceased Members of Congress to be held on Wednesday, April 24, and I ask its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

House Resolution 437

Resolved, That on Wednesday, the 24th day of April 1940, immediately after the approval of the Journal, the House shall stand at recess for the purpose of holding the memorial services as arranged by the Committee on Memorials, under the provisions of clause 40-A of rule XI. The order of exercises and proceedings of the service shall be printed in the Congressional Record, and all Members shall have leave to extend their remarks in the Congressional Record until the last issue of the Record of the third session of the Seventy-sixth Congress, on the life, character, and public service of the deceased Members. At the conclusion of the proceedings the Speaker shall call the House to order, and then, as a further mark of respect to the memories of the deceased, he shall declare the House adjourned.

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The resolution was agreed to.

Memorial Services
in the
House of Representatives

Seventy-sixth Congress
Third Session

Memorial Service Program

Prelude, sacred selections (11:15 to 11:45)

United States Marine Band Orchestra

Presiding Officer----- The Speaker of the House of Representatives

Invocation----- The Chaplain, Dr. James Shera Montgomery

Scripture reading and prayer----- The Chaplain

There Is No Death (Geoffrey O'Hara)----- Thomas L. Thomas

Roll of deceased Members

The Clerk of the House of Representatives

Devotional silence

The Living God (Geoffrey O'Hara)----- Bill Perry

Address----- Hon. Harry P. Beam
Representative from the State of Illinois

Then Shall the Righteous Shine Forth (Felix Mendelssohn) _
Bill Perry

Address----- Hon. Roy O. Woodruff
Representative from the State of Michigan

The Old Rugged Cross (Bennard)----- Thomas L. Thomas

Taps----- Winfred Kemp

Benediction----- The Chaplain

Marbel Mills Logan



Memorial Services

WEDNESDAY, April 24, 1940.

The SPEAKER pro tempore of the House of Representatives (Mr. Rayburn) presided.

The Chaplain, Dr. Montgomery:

Almighty God unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid, cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love Thee, and worthily magnify Thy holy name—Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The eternal God is Thy refuge and underneath are the everlasting arms.

Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

Jesus said, I am the resurrection and the life; He that believeth in Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live and whosoever believeth in Me shall never die.

The righteous live forever and the care of them is with the Most High: With His right hand shall He cover them and with His arm shall He shield them.

For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God, an house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

Lord, Thou hast been our dwelling place in all generations, before the mountains were brought forth or ever Thou hast formed the earth and the world, even from everlasting to everlasting Thou art God. For a thousand years in Thy

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sight are as yesterday when they are past, and as a watch in the night. Thou carriest them away as with a flood; They are as a sleep; In the morning they are like grass which groweth up; In the evening it is cut down and withereth. So teach us to number our days that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom. Let Thy work appear unto Thy servants, and Thy glory unto their children. And let the beauty of the Lord our God be upon us and establish the works of our hands upon us; Yea, the works of our hands establish Thou it.

Let not your heart be troubled; believe in God, believe also in Me. In my Father's house are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you, for I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you unto Myself, that where I am there ye may be also. And whither I go ye know. Thomas saith unto Him, Lord, we know not whither Thou goest; and how can we know the way. Jesus saith unto him, I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life.

Serene, I fold my hands and wait,
Nor care for wind, or tide, or sea.
I rave no more 'gainst time or fate,
For, lo! my own shall come to me.

I stay my haste, I make delays,
For what avails this eager pace?
I stand amid the eternal ways
And what is mine shall know my face.

Asleep, awake, by night or day,
The friends I seek are seeking me;
No wind can drive my bark astray,
Nor change the tide of destiny.

What matter if I stand alone?
I wait with joy the future years.
My heart shall reap where it hath sown,
And garner up its fruit of tears.

The stars come nightly to the sky,
The tidal wave unto the sea;
Nor time, nor space, nor deep, nor high,
Can keep my own away from me.

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Oh, Thou in whose presence our souls take delight, on whom in affliction we call, Thou wert our fathers' God. In the darkness Thou gavest them light, in danger, succor, and in uncertainty, guidance. The light of Thy word was their inspiration, "Be strong and of good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed, for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest." O let us hear the carol in the clouds, view the rock amid the waves, and see the star in the valley. Lead us, oh, Christ, in the toilsome way of Gethsemane and Calvary, and in all our needs give us strength and grace. Bless Thou the memory of those who have wrought well and passed on. Unto all hearts that are bowed down today, minister unto them the comfort and the consolations of Thy richest blessings.

We are reminded, dear Lord, that our days are swiftly passing by. Yesterday we were not, tomorrow we shall be gone. O how changing are the fortunes of life—laughter and tears, melody and lamentation. Mid the fleeing shadows, O may the good angels sing the song of hope in every breast. In our dear Redeemer's name. Amen.

Mr. Thomas L. Thomas sang "There Is No Death," by Geoffrey O'Hara.

ROLL OF DECEASED MEMBERS

Mr. Roger M. Calloway, reading clerk of the House, read the following roll:

MARVEL MILLS LOGAN, a Senator from the State of Kentucky: Lawyer; educator; county attorney, Edmonson County, 1902-03; Attorney General of Kentucky, 1916-17; Judge, Kentucky Court of Appeals, 1926-31; Chief Justice, 1931; chairman Democratic State Convention, 1916; elected to the United States Senate in 1930, and again in 1936. Died October 3, 1939.

WILLIAM EDGAR BORAH, a Senator from the State of Idaho: Lawyer; distinguished orator; member of the Republican National Committee, 1908-12; delegate, Republican National Convention, 1912; elected to the United States Senate in 1907, and served 32 years and 10 months; was chairman of the Senate Committees on Foreign Relations, and Education and Labor; dean of the Senate from 1933 until the day of his death, January 19, 1940.

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BERT LORD, Thirty-fourth Congressional District of New York: Merchant; member New York Assembly, 1915-22, 1924-29; motor vehicle commissioner for the State of New York, 1921-23; State Senator, 1929-35; Member of the Seventy-fourth, Seventy-fifth, and Seventy-sixth Congresses. Died May 24, 1939.

EMMETT MARSHALL OWEN, Fourth Congressional District of Georgia: Lawyer; member, Georgia Legislature, 1902-06; solicitor, City Court of Zebulon, 1908-12; Solicitor General, Flint Judicial Circuit, 1913-23; Solicitor General, Griffin Judicial Circuit, 1923-33; Member of the Seventy-third and each succeeding Congress. Died June 21, 1939.

HARRY WILBUR GRISWOLD, Third Congressional District of Wisconsin: Farmer; educator; member, State Board of Vocational Education, 1930-36; served in the State Senate from 1932 to 1936; Member of the Seventy-sixth Congress. Died July 4, 1939.

SAMUEL DAVIS McREYNOLDS, Third Congressional District of Tennessee: Lawyer; Judge of the Sixth Judicial Circuit of the State of Tennessee, 1903-22; Member of the Sixty-eighth and each succeeding Congress; American delegate to the International Monetary and Economic Conference, in London, 1933; chairman, Committee on Foreign Affairs. Died July 11, 1939.

THOMAS MARION EATON, Eighteenth Congressional District of California: Businessman; educator; served in the United States Navy during the World War; member, City Council, Long Beach, Calif., 1934-36; mayor of Long Beach, 1936-38; Member of the Seventy-sixth Congress. Died September 16, 1939.

THOMAS SANDERS McMILLAN, First Congressional District of South Carolina: Farmer; educator; member, South Carolina House of Representatives, 1916-24; speaker, 1923-24; Member of the Sixty-ninth and each succeeding Congress; member of the Committee on Appropriations. Died September 29, 1939.

CHESTER CASTLE BOLTON, Twenty-second Congressional District of Ohio: Businessman; captain, United States Army Reserve Corps, serving successively with the War Industries Board, aide to the Assistant Secretary of War, and on the General Staff of the War Department; lieutenant colonel, Assistant Chief of Staff of the One Hundred and First Division; member of the Ohio Senate, 1923-28; Member of the Seventy-first and each succeeding Congress. Died October 29, 1939.

JAMES WILLIS TAYLOR, Second Congressional District of Tennessee: Lawyer; postmaster, La Follette, Tenn., 1904-09; mayor of La Follette, 1910-13; insurance commissioner, State of Tennessee, 1913-14; chairman, Republican State Executive Committee, 1917-18; Member of the Sixty-sixth and each succeeding Congress; ranking

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minority member of the Committee on Immigration and Naturalization. Died November 14, 1939.

CARL EDGAR MAPES, Fifth Congressional District of Michigan: Lawyer; member, Michigan House of Representatives, 1905-07; member, State Senate, 1909-13; elected to the Sixty-third and each succeeding Congress; ranking minority member of the Committees on Rules and on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. Died December 12, 1939.

WILLIAM IRVING SIROVICH, Fourteenth Congressional District of New York: Physician and surgeon; fellow, American College of Surgeons, 1924; awarded the Distinguished Service Medal, Columbia University Alumni Association, 1932; Member of the Seventieth and each succeeding Congress; chairman of the Committee on Patents. Died December 17, 1939.

JOHN ANDREW MARTIN, Third Congressional District of Colorado: Lawyer, editor; soldier; member, Colorado Assembly, 1901-02; Pueblo city attorney, 1905-07; Member of the Sixty-first and Sixty-second Congresses, retiring voluntarily; during the World War served as a major, Fortieth Division; Member of the Seventy-third and each succeeding Congress. Died December 23, 1939.

WILLIAM ALBERT ASHBROOK, Seventeenth Congressional District of Ohio: Editor; banker; farmer; publisher of the Johnstown Independent since 1885; postmaster, Johnstown, 1893-97; member, Ohio House of Representatives, 1904-05; Member of the Sixtieth through the Sixty-sixth Congresses, also the Seventy-fourth and each succeeding Congress. Died January 1, 1940.

GEORGE HENRY HEINKE, First Congressional District of Nebraska: Lawyer; graduate, University of Nebraska, 1908; county attorney, Otoe County, 1919-23, 1927-35; Member of the Seventy-sixth Congress; served on the Committees on Election of the President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress; Labor; and the Territories. Died January 2, 1940.

WALLACE EDGAR PIERCE, Thirty-first Congressional District of New York: Lawyer; member, New York Bar Association; member, New York Assembly, 1917-19; chairman, Clinton County Republican Committee; member, New York State Republican Committee; elected to the Seventy-sixth Congress; served on the Committee on the Judiciary. Died January 3, 1940.

EDWARD WALTER CURLEY, Twenty-second Congressional District of New York: Builder and contractor; member of the Board of Aldermen, New York City, 1916-35; chairman or ranking member

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of all major committees of the board; elected to the Seventy-fourth and each succeeding Congress; member of the Committees on Labor, Civil Service, Election of the President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress; and Invalid Pensions. Died January 6, 1940.

CASSIUS CLAY DOWELL, Sixth Congressional District of Iowa: Lawyer; member, Iowa House of Representatives, 1894-98; member, State senate, 1902-12; Member of the Sixty-fourth through the Seventy-third, Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth Congresses; ranking minority member of the Committee on the Territories. Died February 4, 1940.

CLYDE HAROLD SMITH, Second Congressional District of Maine: Educator; member, State house of representatives, 1899-1903, 1919-23; State senator, 1923-29; chairman, State Highway Commission, 1928-32; member, Governor's Council, Fourth District, 1933-37; elected to the Seventy-fifth and the Seventy-sixth Congresses. Died April 8, 1940.

SANTIAGO IGLESIAS, a Resident Commissioner from the Territory of Puerto Rico: Labor organizer; editor; founder of the Free Federation of Workingmen in Puerto Rico, 1898; member, Puerto Rican senate, 1917-32; edited the *Porvenir Social*, 1898-1900, *Union Obara*, 1903-06 and *Justicia*, 1914-25; Resident Commissioner from 1932 until his death December 5, 1939.

Mrs. NORTON, a Representative from the State of New Jersey, standing in front of the Speaker's rostrum, placed a memorial rose in a vase as the name of each deceased Member was read by the Clerk.

Then followed 1 minute of devotional silence.

Mr. Bill Perry sang "The Living God," by Geoffrey O'Hara.

Hon. HARRY P. BEAM, a Representative from the State of Illinois, delivered the following address:

ADDRESS BY HON. HARRY P. BEAM

Mr. BEAM. Mr. Speaker, today we assemble in solemn conclave to pay honor and tribute to our dead. No question of state or parliamentary controversy can disturb the tranquillity of the occasion as we recall with fond and happy recollection the close and intimate association we enjoyed

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in the crucible of public service with our departed colleagues, who now rest forever in the calm and peaceful bosom of eternity.

Of all the events in life, death, with its mysterious realism, is the most startling and dramatic. No one can stand in its awful presence and not be moved to a deeper and more abiding solicitude for the rights of our fellow man; nor can one encounter its grim realities without becoming more tolerant, more sympathetic, more understanding of the frailties of human nature and without a deeper conscientious realization of our own imperfection and mortality.

How fleeting is time and how transitory and temporal is the applause of the people or the honors and dignities conferred upon man in the short span of human life. And what a stern realization of that fact have we before us today, as we listen in vain for voices we knew so well to respond to the roll call who but a short yesterday were active participators in the deliberations of our body and wielded vast and far-reaching influence in the formation of the legislative program of the Nation.

Away. We know that tears are vain,
That Death nor heeds nor hears distress:
Will this unteach us to complain?
Or make one mourner weep the less?
And thou, who telist me to forget,
Thy looks are wan, thine eyes are wet.

Our colleagues whose untimely passing we commemorate today were privileged to serve their country during some of the most crucial and fateful years in the history of the Republic.

During their official service as Members of the Congress of the United States they viewed with alarm and deep concern the grave uncertainty and distress which engulfed the citizenship of our land. During those early days of the depression they observed their fellow citizens in mass formation storm the very doors of the Nation's Capitol, demanding food

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and shelter for themselves and for their families. They witnessed the bankruptcy of agriculture, the prostration of business, the failure of thousands of banking institutions throughout the land, the foreclosure of countless homes and farms, the sorry and desperate plight of the wage earner and the farmer, and the prevailing fear and trepidation which seemed to strike at the very heart and sinews of our American national life.

Our departed colleagues, with undismayed courage and a high conception of American statesmanship faced their grave responsibility and contributed generously and unreservedly of their sagacious counsel, and their profound knowledge and wisdom, in devising ways and means to remedy these oppressing conditions and to relieve the circumstances which were well-nigh overwhelming the moral courage and grim fortitude of our people.

They were active participators in the great emergency program to revive agriculture, to furnish governmental aid, and financial assistance to business and industry, and to restore confidence and security in our banking system. They actively assisted in the enactment of laws to alleviate the suffering of our citizens and were contributors to all social legislation for the welfare of the poor and underprivileged of our land.

Our departed colleagues were privileged to serve in the Congress of the United States during the rise of the dictators and witnessed the tremendous growth of the nefarious doctrines of communism and nazi-ism, and saw them become the dominant policy and religion, so to speak, of countless numbers of heretofore God-fearing men and women of great nations of the world.

They observed in their lifetime the war clouds again hover over the nations of Europe, threatening to engulf the entire world once more in conflagration. They witnessed the march of the highly mechanized and modernized armies of the dictators against countries ill-equipped for war, and by fire and sword saw them conquer and destroy nations, subject their

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citizens to a lifetime of sorrow and misery, and bury forever the last vestige of hope for liberty and freedom for untold millions of human beings.

Robert Ingersoll, appearing before the tomb of Napoleon, expressed himself in the following words:

I would rather have been a French peasant and worn wooden shoes. I would rather have lived in a hut with a vine growing over the door, and the grapes growing purple in the amorous kisses of the autumn sun. I would rather have been that poor peasant, with my loving wife by my side, knitting as the day died out of the sky, with my children upon my knees and their arms about me. I would rather have been that man, and gone down to the tongueless silence of the dreamless dust, than to have been that imperial impersonation of force and murder, known as Napoleon the Great.

I pause and wonder, my fellow colleagues, when at some time in the future, when these dictators who have caused the pangs of war to again cloud the happiness and peace of the world are summoned to embark on that fateful voyage, from which no traveler returneth, what complacency of thought, what peace of mind and heart can be theirs. When the very shrouds which enwrap their cold and lifeless clay shall be drenched with the blood and tears of countless numbers of human beings, decreed by them to a vale of misery, suffering, famine, pestilence, and death.

The garlands wither on your brow;
Then boast no more your mighty deeds;
Upon death's purple altar now
See where the victor—victim bleeds;
Your heads must come
To the cold tomb;
Only the actions of the just
Smell sweet, and blossom in their dust.

What a sad commentary of fate that in this age of enlightenment, of intellectual development, of cultural advancement, and of great scientific discoveries—all for the happiness and betterment of mankind—that the people of the world should again be plunged into the horrors and terrors of war, with all the resulting suffering and misery therein entailed.

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From the sad plight and appalling despair of these unfortunate nations, let us resolve that, from the hallowed ashes of our departed colleagues, never again shall we vote to plunge America into a foreign holocaust of war, or ever again consecrate any foreign soil with the lifeblood of our American youth, to save or preserve the integrity of any foreign monarchy, dynasty, or power.

America will fight only for America, and to keep inviolate our priceless heritage of liberty and freedom, and the preservation of our democratic form of government.

These were the ideals, my fellow citizens, our departed colleagues cherished and sustained in their lifetime, and for the love of which they nobly laid down their lives. As distinguished Members of Congress, they served their country loyally and well, and carved their names high in the annals of American statesmanship. They enjoyed the love and affection of their fellow citizens, and the respect and esteem of their fellow Members of Congress. They have left to their loved ones, and to the Nation, a noble heritage of honor and glory upon the altar of public service.

This is the last time the names of our departed colleagues will ever be officially called from the floor of the Congress of the United States. No more shall we disturb the tranquillity of their slumber; no more shall we derange the peace and calm of their repose; but, with the hallowed love and enduring affection of the Congress of the United States, and the entire Nation, we reconsecrate their tombs with the fervent hopes and prayers of all America that from their noble and revered spirits we may rededicate our efforts to keep aglow the torch of liberty and freedom they so valiantly and patriotically carried in the service of their country, and which they now pass on to us, unsullied and undefiled.

Their love of country, their ardor and devotion to their Nation's welfare, their nobility of character have forever enshrined their memory in a diadem of perpetual light, which will glow, with ever-increasing splendor, in the hearts of their fellow countrymen, long after monuments of granite and

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stone have crumbled into dust and decay; and so, with all our heartfelt affection, compassion, and reverence, we fondly say, "Farewell, our beloved colleagues; farewell forever":

Our hearts, our hopes, are all with thee,
Our hearts, our hopes, our prayers, our tears,
Our faith triumphant o'er our fears,
Are all with thee,—are all with thee!

Mr. Bill Perry sang "Then Shall the Righteous Shine Forth" (Felix Mendelssohn).

Hon. ROY O. WOODRUFF, a Representative from the State of Michigan, delivered the following address:

ADDRESS BY HON. ROY O. WOODRUFF, OF MICHIGAN

Mr. WOODRUFF of Michigan. Mr. Speaker, again there has come that day which we dedicate to our colleagues who have crossed over to that mystic realm from which no traveler returns.

Our hearts, of course, are full of thoughts which cannot be expressed in words, and of feelings which we do not even wish to voice here.

The passing of a colleague brings to each and every one of us not only grief at the severing of associations but a somber pondering on the meaning of this enigma of human existence. The mortal sense of life would make of man little more than the grass of the fields, flourishing for a brief season, and then withering away. Compared to eternity the human span is but a twinkling. We are apt to forget that billions of individuals have come and gone; millions who are now living will, in no great stretch of time, join the silent majority.

One may well wonder sometimes whether we take ourselves too seriously on this tiny grain of sand whirling through space in the company of millions of other planets, making up the galaxies of the universe. When we stop to realize by what a narrow margin we cling to that which we call life, we wonder not that some of our colleagues have gone from us, but that more have not gone.

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And yet, Mr. Speaker, there is more to life than death. It is inconceivable in logic that those who have toiled here with us, that those who gave of their best to the cause of government, that those who lived and studied and worked and planned for the welfare of their country, their fellow men, and their more immediate loved ones should cease to be when the shadow of death descended over them.

There is no possible human logic to justify any conclusion that death ends the activity of those we have known and loved. An all-powerful, all-wise, all-loving ever-present Creative Intelligence would fulfill no purpose in creating human identities to be born to work, and strive, and laugh, and cry for a brief, fevered instant on this earth, only to pass out and to return to a state of nonbeing. That would be like a child building up a mound of sand but to sweep it away the next instant.

Every tenet of religious faith, every tenet of philosophy, every tenet of logic, every tenet of human hope bids us to be of good cheer because our colleagues, having passed beyond our ken, are not forever blotted out but live on and work on.

None can explain the mystery of death. We can hope. None can reason how or why our colleagues should have been called, except that that is the way of the flesh. But there is vast consolation, Mr. Speaker, in the hope and the faith that our colleagues, somewhere, in some happier realm, labor on, rising ever upward in their striving to attain truth.

So, instead of grieving, I think we can find it in our hearts today to be grateful to infinite love that we were permitted to know our colleagues, to be associated with them, to work with them, and to cherish their memories as we hope those left behind when we go will cherish memories of us.

That great philosopher, that kindly gentleman, that able Justice of the Supreme Court, the late Oliver Wendell Holmes, once put into words the hope and the faith that I would voice to you here today. Said he:

I was walking homeward on Pennsylvania Avenue near the Treasury, and as I looked beyond Sherman's statue to the west the

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sky was aflame with scarlet and crimson from the setting sun. But, like the note of downfall in Wagner's opera, below the skyline there came from little globes the pallid discord of electric lights, and I thought to myself the *Gotterdammerung* will end, and from those globes clustered like evil eggs will come the new masters of the sky. It is like the time in which we live. But, then, I remembered the faith that I partly have expressed, faith in a universe not measured by our fears, a universe that has thought, and more than thought, inside of it, and as I gazed, after the sunset, and above the electric lights, there shone the stars.

And something else that great jurist said I want to repeat to you. It was this:

I think it not improbable that man, like the grub that prepares a chamber for the winged thing it has never seen but is to be—that man may have cosmic destinies that he does not understand. And so beyond the vision of battling races and an impoverished earth I catch a dreaming glimpse of peace.

Who is to say that out of the depth of his wisdom, gained from his lifelong study of profound truths, Oliver Wendell Holmes may not have been right—that man may have cosmic destinies he does not understand. And so beyond the vision of battling races and an impoverished earth we may catch a dreaming glimpse of peace.

It is this beautiful star of human hope, shining above the pallid glare of earth's electric lights, in the blue sky of a universe in which there is thought, and more than thought, that carries us through the storms and the stresses and the sorrows and the sicknesses, and enables us to bear the thought of the parting at death.

It seems to be, Mr. Speaker, the common fate of kings and beggars, of just and unjust, of saint and sinner, that each of us shall sometime embark upon that journey from earth to the far yonder shores of an unknown eternity.

If we believe that death is the end of those personalities whom we have known and loved as our colleagues, then, indeed, is death a truly dreadful event. If, however, we are to believe that those who have preceded us on that mystical journey, clinging to the hand of the Saviour, consciously

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trusting in the infinite love of the Creator, are going on to other tasks—higher tasks, mayhap—then death is not the end, but the beginning of life.

So, then, as our hearts today are sad, as our thoughts are somber, as we find in our breasts an aching longing for the touch of hands that have vanished and the sound of voices now stilled, it is rather because of our own loneliness that we grieve, the loss of championship and association that we miss, than for any fear or any belief that our departed and beloved colleagues have been blotted out, or condemned to some oblivion.

Why, Mr. Speaker, what would be the purpose of life, what would be the use of this human struggle, what would be the use of our efforts, what purpose would we serve by our tears or our smiles, if the grave were the end of it all? Ah, no, life is eternal. We must progress onward and upward until we become more aware of that image and likeness in which we are created.

And, so, Mr. Speaker, let us be firm in the hope; let us find comfort in the thought, that our dear departed colleagues have moved further along toward their cosmic destinies which they may not understand, and, as Holmes so beautifully said, beyond the vision of battling races and an impoverished earth, that they have realized that peace of which we here may catch but a dreaming glimpse.

Mr. Thomas L. Thomas sang "The Old Rugged Cross," by Bennard.

Mr. Winfred Kemp, principal musician, United States Marine Band Orchestra, sounded taps.

The Chaplain, Rev. James Shera Montgomery, D. D., pronounced the benediction:

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you; the Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace, both now and evermore. Amen.

Memorial Addresses
in the
House of Representatives

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Remarks by Representative Vincent *Of Kentucky*

Mr. VINCENT of Kentucky. Mr. Speaker, this is a sad occasion for me, and yet I can rejoice that the Congress of the United States in these days of stress has seen fit to set aside this day in order that we may pay due homage and tribute to the life and memory of a great man and a great statesman, the late Honorable M. M. LOGAN, of Kentucky. He was the greatest man I ever knew. He was the best man I ever knew. Seldom, if ever, do we find both of these attributes blessing one individual, but he was lavishly endowed with these qualities.

He was born in 1875 in Edmonson County, Ky. His father and three of his father's brothers fought through the Civil War, and their stories of travels, hardships, and battles thrilled him, and his alert mind was stirred by these exploits. He hungered for information, and at once became a great student of history and government. He was a natural student. It appeared that he learned about everything without laborious study. His mind was so keen that he did not have to be told anything but once.

He was admitted to the bar when he was 20 years of age and at once became a great lawyer. His reputation grew so fast that in 1915 he was nominated in a State-wide primary for the office of attorney general of the State of Kentucky without opposition, a peculiar honor that no other person has ever been accorded in the State of Kentucky. After this he was called by the people to the office of judge of the court of appeals of his State, and he soon became chief justice of this court. In 1930, while serving as chief justice, he was called to serve Kentucky in the United States Senate.

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He served with great distinction in the Senate, as you well know, until his death on October 3, 1939. He soon became a leader in the Senate and was responsible for much beneficial legislation. He was considered by his colleagues as a great statesman and patriot.

It is befitting his memory that we pause today and cease our pressing duties to pay tribute to the life and memory of this great man.

I will not go into detail in naming the many official acts of Senator LOGAN. They are too numerous to repeat here, and they are well known to you. Future generations will point to these achievements, for they will be an everlasting monument to the memory of this man. These achievements are written in bold type in the records of his State and the Nation, and I will leave them as they came from his hands.

I want to now turn to the man himself. He was the kindest man I ever knew. No matter how poor or how ignorant or how lowly in station, no one was ever turned away that came to him for help. He was wholly unselfish. He made a lot of money but he gave it all away to help others. I recall once when he had collected a very large fee in an important case that he had won, and one of his friends said: "What are you going to do with all of this money?" His friend added that he ought to invest it in real estate. LOGAN rebuked his friend when he replied and merely said: "I am going to invest this money in boys and girls." He went to an orphans home and selected several boys and sent them to college. Many young men now making their mark in the world were picked up by him in an orphanage and sent to college. He often stated that money was the cheapest thing in the world, and that manhood and character were the most priceless. He was the champion of the weak and oppressed. His philosophy of government was "the purpose of government is to protect the weak and restrain the strong."

From boyhood to his death he was an ardent follower of the "Lowly Nazarene." For 30 years he taught a Sunday

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School class, and it was his proud record that he never missed a single Sabbath day. He was a pillar of his church. He gave lavishly of his time and money for the support of every good cause that came his way. He lived a devoted Christian life.

He was a leader in the fraternal world. He rose to the highest office in the Odd Fellows Order, having been elected Grand Sire of the World.

He was a kind and affectionate father to his one daughter and three sons who survive him. He lent a helping hand to every person that he met who needed assistance. He contended that you could only serve God by serving humanity, and he went about everywhere doing good. He is about the only man I ever knew who loved his enemy. Often when he was attacked unfairly by someone he would merely say: "The poor fellow does not know any better, and I shall not take any advantage of him because he is unfriendly to me." Many times his would-be enemy would turn and admire him and become his friend. He really and truly loved his fellow men, and he will live on in the hearts of his many friends. His life and his memory will inspire thousands to imitate his unselfish Christian life. I fear we shall never see his like again.

In my judgment, he was not only the greatest man I ever knew, but he was the best man I ever knew. Words cannot properly portray this man's life and deeds.

Once when a king had fallen it was said:

A prince once said of a king struck down:

"Taller he seems in death."

And the word holds good, for now, as then,

It is after death that we measure men.

Now a king of men has fallen. I will not say he is dead, for his life and deeds will live forever.

No; I cannot and I will not say

That he is dead.

He is just away!

With a cheery smile and a wave of the hand,

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He has entered into that unknown land,
And left us dreaming, how very fair it
Needs must be, since he lingers there.
And you, O you, who the wildest yearn
For the old-time step and the glad return;
Think of him, passing on as fair in the love
Of there, as the love of here.
Think of him still as the same, I say.
He is not dead. He's just away.

He is as great in death as he was in life. His death was calm and majestic. He merely fell asleep when the Lord called him home.

The night shall be filled with music
And the cares, that infest the day,
Shall fold their tents like the Arabs,
And as silently steal away.

Mr. VINCENT of Kentucky. Mr. Speaker, under leave to extend my remarks in the Record, I insert the following editorial from the Edmonson County News, of Brownsville, Ky., October 5, 1939:

EDITORIAL FROM THE EDMONSON COUNTY NEWS OF OCTOBER 5, 1939

While the death of United States Senator MARVEL MILLS LOGAN is a distinct loss to the State and Nation he has served so ably, it is here at his old home that his passing becomes a personal loss to every resident, for here he was born, spent his boyhood days, and fought his own way from obscurity to renown unconfined even to the United States. As Grand Sire of the International Order of Odd Fellows he became an international figure, while at the time of his death he was an outstanding member of the greatest lawmaking body in the universe. Had he but lived longer he would have attained even greater honors. A seat on the Supreme Bench had been forecast for the future.

Yet the real bigness of the man was best exemplified by his steadfast love for and loyalty to the place of his birth and his "homefolks." Though MILLS LOGAN had climbed to heights of human achievement, his great heart was always with the common people from whom he sprang. Always he was proud to proclaim the place of his birth and to praise the people of his home town and county.

Early in life he set his goal in this expression:

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"I am of the great common people; what benefits them will benefit me; I pray to God that some day I will be able to do something for them."

That prayer was answered—answered because the promise to his Maker was faithfully performed.

MILLS LOGAN earned vast sums of money, yet he amassed no estate. Money to him was but a commodity to be exchanged for the well-being and happiness of others. The extent of his benevolences will never be known to man, yet there are those here, there, and everywhere who have been beneficiaries of his largess. Scores of young men aspiring to the Baptist ministry were enabled to attend a great theological seminary on the funds he supplied. His other charities were innumerable and unpublicized. To him charity extended beyond the realm of dollars and cents. He was charitable to the faults of all men and was charitable to those with whom he may have disagreed or may have "despitefully used him."

He was a devout Christian. His great delight was to teach the Word of God.

As a jurist he was the peer of the world's best talent. Law reports are filled with classics from his pen.

As a statesman he took top rank. In ability, appearance, and address he was perhaps the last of the type of men often described as the "Founding Fathers."

This is but a feeble attempt at a brief résumé of a life that words, though written by an adept biographer, could not adequately portray. Much more than herein written is contained in a sentence suggested to this writer by Mr. H. St. G. T. Carmichael, to whom Senator LOGAN had long been friend and counselor:

"He lived above reproach and died without an enemy."

Mr. VINCENT of Kentucky. Mr. Speaker, under leave to extend my remarks in the Record, I insert the following funeral address of John A. Logan, at Brownsville, Ky.:

FUNERAL ADDRESS BY JOHN A. LOGAN, AT BROWNSVILLE, KY.

Friends, neighbors, and countrymen, on a bleak January day in 1875, there was born in a log cabin, nestling at the foot of this hill, a boy child, delicate in health. He exhibited extraordinary talent, and the divine spark of genius was apparent at an extremely early age. His fame spread rapidly, and before he was out of his teens he had distinguished himself as a scholar and as a teacher. His reputation at this early age had already encompassed his home county and was rapidly spreading in the adjoin-

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ing counties. He was generally regarded as a paragon of wisdom and virtue by his home people. No such genius could long be encompassed by the confines that bounded the little county of Edmonson. He soon heard the siren call of fame from the outside world. He answered that call.

Honors and distinctions were heaped upon him one after another. He was called to fill many different positions of public trust and confidence, and no one will say that he did not fill each of the positions well. From school teacher, examiner of teachers, county chairman of the Democratic Party, county attorney of Edmonson, his native county, first assistant attorney general and later attorney general of Kentucky, chief justice of the court of appeals, Kentucky's highest court, he was elected to the United States Senate. These were but a few of the honorable positions he held. If he had held each position to which he was chosen to its termination, it would have required more than 40 years of continuous service without a day of rest. But through it all he found time to teach a Sunday school class every Sunday for more than 30 years without missing a single Sunday.

He also found time to serve the Independent Order of Odd Fellows in every capacity and office within the gift of this great order, including that of Grand Sire of the World.

He made public addresses in every county in Kentucky, in nearly every State in the Union, and in many foreign countries.

He practiced law in all the courts of the Nation from that of the justice of peace to the Supreme Court of the United States. It has been truthfully said that the work he did would have been sufficient to keep an ordinary man employed for hundreds of years, and yet he found time to greet every man, no matter how humble, and shake his hand and give him a word of cheer. He found time to worship his God and teach His sacred word for over a third of a century, and through it all he never lost the common touch.

On every suitable occasion and in every land, he praised the county of his birth—his county and your county—and never failed to praise the people whom he so dearly loved, honored, and respected. Your fame and virtues he has extolled from a thousand platforms, and on numberless occasions both public and private. The greatest tribute he has ever paid, and the tenderest testimony he could give to you and his county, showing the love and affection in his gentle and noble heart, was his request at the end of his labor that he be brought to rest with you until the coming of the Lord; that he thereby might be permitted to arise and meet his Saviour face to face, and side by side with you. We have brought him home—home to you.

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The world has been the recipient of his wisdom and counsel. The wealth of the Nation was at his command, yet it could not tempt him from his faith in honesty and Christianity, which is the common faith of his native people. His philosophy, belief in Christianity, and everyday honesty, which all of you hold in common with him, is your greatest heritage, and was the greatest factor in promoting and raising him to the pinnacle of distinction and glory to which he arose.

Here we leave him in his glory, but we leave him not alone. The love and respect of his countrymen and his people will hover over him to keep him company in his dreamless sleep. Here he will rest until "the Master of all good workmen shall set him to work anew."

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Remarks by Representative Chapman *Of Kentucky*

Mr. CHAPMAN. Mr. Speaker, under leave to extend my remarks, I include an article published in the *Kentucky Post*, Covington, Ky., which was written by Mr. Clay Wade Bailey, of Frankfort, Ky., ardent admirer, trusted friend, and loyal protege of the late Senator M. M. LOGAN; memorial resolutions of the Agoga Bible Class of the First Baptist Church, Frankfort, Ky., of which class Senator LOGAN was the founder and for years the teacher; editorial from the *Park City Daily News*, Bowling Green, Ky., October 3, 1939; editorial from the *Louisville Times*, Louisville, Ky., October 3, 1939; editorial from the *Kentucky Post*, Covington, Ky., October 3, 1939; article by Mr. Rufus W. Weaver, of Washington, D. C., in the *Western Recorder*, prominent Baptist publication, of Louisville, Ky., October 17, 1939:

[From the *Kentucky Post*, Covington, Ky.]

CAREER OF SENATOR LOGAN WAS ONE OF CONSTANT POLITICAL SURPRISE—LATE SOLON WAS ENIGMA TO PRACTICAL, SCHEMING TYPE OF CAMPAIGNER—OFTEN CONFOUNDED WOULD-BE ADVISERS BY TURNING APPARENT DEFEAT INTO VICTORY—HAD WIDE KNOWLEDGE OF AFFAIRS

(By Clay Wade Bailey)

FRANKFORT, KY., October 6, 1939.—Many Kentuckians were shocked and stunned almost beyond measure Tuesday when word filtered in from Washington that MARVEL MILLS LOGAN, 64, junior United States Senator from Kentucky, had died.

His passing is expected to materially change existing political alliances in the State. His successor in the Senate will be Gov. A. B. Chandler. Lieut. Gov. Keen Johnson, Democratic candidate for Governor, will be Governor in fact 2 months earlier than he anticipated due to Senator LOGAN's death.

Kentucky's junior Senator not only distinguished himself in the political field but also in other lines of endeavor. He was widely known as a churchman, member of fraternal orders, jurist, tax expert, and legal adviser. In whatever field he entered he made his mark, and his influence was keenly felt.

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NEVER DEFEATED IN CONTEST

As a politician, he was an enigma to the practical, scheming type. They could not understand him, because of peculiar antics which always brought him success. He never was defeated in a political contest in his life. He always led his ticket, being several thousand votes stronger than his party running mates in each instance.

To demonstrate his running ability, he was elected county attorney of a Republican county (Edmonson) in 1901. In 1915 he was on the Democratic State ticket for attorney general. Governor Stanley won by 471. Other Democrats on the ticket won by from 3,000 to 5,000 votes, and Logan topped the ticket with a 10,000-vote lead.

In 1926 he sought office as judge of the court of appeals. Senator Alben W. Barkley, at the head of the ticket, carried the second appellate district by 3,000 votes. LOGAN won by 6,780 votes in the same territory. In 1936, as a candidate for reelection to the United States Senate, he carried the State by 2,500 more votes than did President Roosevelt.

CALLED JUDGE

LOGAN was familiarly known to his friends as either Mills or Judge. Few intimates ever called him "Senator." He first came to Frankfort in 1912 as an assistant attorney general, a post he occupied for 4 years. Four years later he was the unopposed Democratic candidate for attorney general, in the primary.

While in that office, his capacity for hard work became known among his colleagues. There was no case too hard for him to tackle. Tax cases, involving huge amounts, were taken to the Supreme Court by large railroad lines. Most of the attorney general's office shunned the job of handling the cases, but LOGAN took them and won them for the State.

While arguing before the Supreme Court, he told the Justices—without the aid of notes—amounts involved in the various assessments, the tax rate applicable, and the exact amount in dollars and cents of the tax due.

JUSTICE AMAZED

The late Chief Justice Edward D. White came forward with the inquiry:

"Young man, where do those figures come from; you do not refer to notes in your brief?"

The young lawyer responded:

"From my head. You take the figures, compute the tax rate, and you will arrive at the same result."

The Chief Justice tried the process, found that LOGAN had given the correct answers.

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Early in 1917, Gov. A. O. Stanley called the general assembly into extra session to consider revamping the State tax laws. A State tax commission was created, and LOGAN resigned his post as attorney general and became the first chairman of the new commission.

MOVED TO LOUISVILLE

He continued in this capacity until December 1918, when he moved to Louisville to practice law. He remained there 4 years, then went to Bowling Green in 1922, only to emerge in 1926 as a candidate for judge of the court of appeals in his district.

On the court he was especially noted for his industry. He turned out an unusual number of opinions, and found time to make addresses to luncheon clubs, continue religious activity, and be active in one of the world's leading fraternal organizations.

He wrote the Louisville election contest case which held that the 1925 election held in that city was void for widespread frauds. He bitterly denounced "an inner circle of practical men" who had used sharp practices in the election.

His opinions read more like novels than legal documents. He stated his cases in terms understandable to the laymen. He had been on the court 2 months when a case from Pulaski County arose involving a provision in a deed providing for "good care and treatment of a black horse named Dick."

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It was contended that this provision alone showed the man was mentally deficient. Ignoring the customary procedure of citing a lot of legal precedents, LOGAN wrote the opinion in simple language, and the only outside volumes used were a Bible and the book, *Black Beauty*. He used these books as authority to show that sane men loved horses, and that the peculiar clause was the act of a rational man.

Later, in a will contest, an attack was made because the maker was an old man, citing no proof to show specific acts of mental deficiency or insanity. LOGAN answered this argument with the words:

"Let not this court write that age dries up the fountains of wisdom. The old have wisdom the young know not of."

Early in 1929, prompted by a small group of personal friends, LOGAN decided he wanted to go to the United States Senate. He announced his candidacy early. Many politicians had wanted him to run for Governor, an office he never desired.

DOUBTED CHANCE TO WIN

There was a feeling that no Democrat had much chance for the Senate that year. The State had voted 176,000 for Hoover in 1928,

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and there was a Republican administration in power at Frankfort. The attitude of most Democratic politicians was that LOGAN would make a good candidate, but they doubted the ability of any Democrat to win.

He was given the party nomination without opposition. When time for the fall campaign was on, LOGAN wrote his own itinerary. His first speeches were to be in the mountains of southeastern Kentucky, where his opponent, John M. Robsion, was especially strong.

Seldon R. Glenn, now collector of internal revenue; the late Allie W. Young; and William F. Klair warned LOGAN against the trip. "Stay out of there," they counseled. "Let sleeping dogs lie. You'll stir up those mountain Republicans and you'll be beaten by 50,000 in that district alone."

He gave them this answer:

"The people of every section of Kentucky have a right to see the man who wants to represent them in the Senate. I'm going up there and see those people. I believe I can sell them a good bill of Democratic goods."

The results proved LOGAN, not the politicians, right. He came within an ace of carrying Harlan County, and when the returns from the mountain sections of the State alone trickled in from the November election, the Republicans knew they had taken a drubbing at the hands of the soft-spoken Brownsville-Bowling Green lawyer whose nasal twang had captivated them.

His victory over Robsion for the Senate in 1930 paved the way for a series of unbroken Democratic victories in the State that have continued up to the present time.

Once in the Senate he soon attained considerable notice by his defense of David S. Barry, Senate sergeant-at-arms, who was hauled on the carpet for writing in a current magazine that "all Senators and Representatives are not crooks."

Barry had attempted to defend public officials from the cynical observation that "all public officers are crooks" in the opinion of LOGAN, but the Senate removed Barry, who died shortly afterward, brokenhearted.

He became an active Roosevelt supporter upon the latter's elevation to the Presidency. In 1936 he was a candidate for renomination to the Senate and was opposed by the powerful State organization of Governor Chandler, which backed former Senator J. C. W. Beckham for the post.

Few knew it at the time, but in 30 counties of the State LOGAN had no active campaign management. Politicians shunned the task or were soon dulled into a sense of inactivity by promises from the

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opposition. Then Logan rose to the occasion, took his campaign direct to the people.

He began a series of Saturday radio speeches that were classics. The fight seemed hopeless to many in the Senator's own headquarters, but on Thursday night before the August 1936 primary election, he whispered to a friend at Frankfort sitting next to him:

"I'm going to win this fight, as God be my judge, and show these politicians at Frankfort that a fight can be won without their aid."

Win, he did. The victory was narrow, but he emerged on top in the closest contest of his long career.

He enjoyed running for public office and never forgot a face or name. During repeated attempts to get him out of the way or shelved into a lifetime judicial position, there were those who believed that his final decision would be against the change, because they knew of his desire to meet people.

BROTHER NOMINATED

LOGAN's political prowess was still recognized in the State this summer. Both major Democratic candidates for Governor sought his support. His answer was:

"My brother is a candidate for auditor of public accounts. I shall take no part in the race for Governor, unless one side or the other fights my brother. I shall construe that as a declaration of war against me."

The result was that his brother, David A. Logan, was nominated without serious opposition.

The Mammoth Cave National Park project first originated in his mind 30 years ago. He nursed the project alone many years before selling it to civic groups in the State. It is now a reality.

During the recent session of Congress he sponsored an administrative court bill to make decisions of administrative bodies subject to judicial review. The measure still is pending.

For years the Judge hair was a heavy black, and shaggy like a horse's mane. He permitted this extra growth of hair to be cut only a few years ago—as signs of gray began to appear about his temples.

LOVED BROWNSVILLE

Judge LOGAN always held a tender spot in his heart for Brownsville and his native county of Edmonson. He made few speeches in his career that did not contain complimentary references to Brownsville and Edmonson County, though he had long since moved away. Nevertheless, Brownsville was always home to him.

For 30 years every Democratic campaign in Edmonson County was closed by the Judge or Mills at Brownsville on election eve.

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It did not matter what the speakers' bureau of his party said, he always asked for and got Brownsville as his final assignment.

There he felt at home, for he knew practically every man, woman, and child in the county and most of them were his friends. There was no surprise when it became known that he had asked that his remains be interred there.

Senator LOGAN was no stranger to other lines of endeavor. He was an active member of the Baptist Church, where he taught Sunday school and had a record of which he was proud—35 years' continuous service at Sunday school without missing a single Sunday.

He was a member of numerous fraternal orders. He took a great interest in the Odd Fellows' organization, and rose to the highest position in that body—international grand sire.

LIBERAL WITH MONEY

He was liberal with his money to a fault. No beggar ever left LOGAN without a piece of change in his pocket, even if the Senator or Judge as he was best known here had to borrow from a friend to accommodate the one seeking aid.

Recently Judge LOGAN was offered a post with a New York law firm which would have paid him financially many times the salary of a Senator. He never accepted the offer, but he wrote an acquaintance:

"I have no desire to leave Kentucky. Few people know it, but the greater portion of my adult life has been given to Kentucky. I do not intend to let them down now. My friends live there. I love the State and its people. I have no desire for money, only enough to pay my bills."

His philanthropies were many. Many an orphan boy and girl received an education at LOGAN's expense. He made no show of the matter, and would always remark to friendly critics who urged him to be more careful with his money, that "money is only a means to an end. I have no desire to accumulate money."

MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS ON THE DEATH OF SENATOR M. M. LOGAN

MARVEL MILLS LOGAN was born in Edmonson County, Ky., on January 7, 1875, and on October 3, 1939, in the city of Washington, suddenly, though peacefully, passed to his eternal reward. He died in harness, just as he would have chosen to do. His was an active life and eminently successful. It is a long, tortuous climb for a poor boy to make from the hills of Edmonson County to the United States Senate. MILLS LOGAN made it only by hard work, application to duty, efficient, conscientious public service, and the full

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and complete confidence of his fellowmen. His is a record of worthy and inspirational achievement which could well be used as a textbook in our public schools. He followed the star of his ideal from boyhood to the grave.

His long public life is too full of noble deeds to receive more than mere mention here. Suffice it to say that as county attorney of his native county, assistant attorney general, attorney general, judge of the court of appeals, and United States Senator he served with great credit to himself and honor to his State and Nation. He was devoted to the public interest and his death has left a vacancy among the leading citizens of the Commonwealth and caused a loss which we all deeply deplore.

In the fall of 1927 he was one of the moving spirits in the organization of the Agoga Bible Class of the First Baptist Church of Frankfort, Ky., and was its able teacher until called to Washington in the early part of 1931. As a Bible student and teacher he had few equals. He was fearless in his interpretation of the Bible, though generous toward those who might differ with him.

As simply and serenely as he had met the duties and responsibilities of each passing day, he faced the frontiers of the other world with the confident assurance of a satisfied traveler at his journey's end.

A beautiful thought which may well have possessed him in the last solemn hour is aptly expressed by the poet:

"When the long day's tramp is over,
When the journey's done,
I shall dip down from some hilltop,
At the going down of the sun,
And turn in at the open door,
And lay down staff and load,
And wash me clean of the heat of the day,
And the white dust of the road."

As a slight token of the friendship, affection, and high regard in which Senator LOGAN was always held by the members of this class, this expression of our appreciation has been prepared and is now offered as a heartfelt, though inadequate, tribute to a beloved teacher and citizen of the Commonwealth.

We extend to Mrs. Logan and the other members of the family our sincerest sympathy, and commend them to Him "who doeth all things well" with the assurance that in the afterwhile "all will be made plain." How fittingly your husband and father could have exclaimed in the language of St. Paul:

"I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of

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righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, shall give me at that day."

We, your committee, recommend that this memorial tribute be spread upon the records of the class, and that a copy thereof be transmitted to Mrs. Logan.

Respectfully submitted.

T. M. JONES,
D. E. WESTMORELAND,
HENRY HULETTE,

Resolutions Committee of Agoga Class.

[From the Park City Daily News, Bowling Green, Ky.]

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The unexpected death early today of Senator M. M. LOGAN removes Bowling Green's most distinguished citizen. Well known throughout the Nation and enjoying some fame in various foreign countries, Senator LOGAN was outstanding as a jurist, statesman, fraternalist, churchman, and a citizen.

One of his accomplishments was achieving a position of trust and honor as the head of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. A notable characteristic was his devotion to church and Sunday-school attendance and to church activities. His record as a citizen and the head of a family was exemplary. As a jurist he was imbued with the rare qualities of humor, foresight, legal knowledge, and tolerance, which led to his advancement to the highest judicial position in his native State. And as a Senator he continued to serve his constituency and his Nation in a manner above reproach.

MILLS LOGAN will long be remembered in southern Kentucky, even after national appreciation of his extremely creditable record has faded under the crush of passing events. For from a humble beginning, this Edmonson County boy advanced to a position of public trust, public appreciation, and public confidence rarely achieved in the history of the State.

Memory of his ideals, his accomplishments, and his sincere devotion to his duties will form a lasting memorial in the minds of the friends and neighbors who knew him best.

[From the Louisville (Ky.) Times of October 3, 1939]

KENTUCKY LOSES LOGAN

Senator M. M. LOGAN's ability and engaging qualities made him widely popular among Kentuckians. He made his mark as attorney general and thereafter he was established in Kentucky politics.

He was a capital campaigner and a useful man in office. His health had not been good recently, but it was not supposed that

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he would not live out his term as an active Member of the Senate, to which he was twice elected.

His death is a loss to the administration inasmuch as he was a new dealer, although not invariably a supporter of the President, and never a rubber stamp.

Because of the state of the world and the state of the Nation the quality of the man who succeeds LOGAN is of great importance.

[From the Kentucky Post, Covington, Ky., of October 3, 1939]

A VALIANT PUBLIC SERVANT PASSES

Both State and Nation have lost a rugged and outstanding figure in political life in the death of Senator MARVEL MILLS LOGAN. He had the admirable trait of standing firmly for a principle and once he had decided on what he believed to be right, he was a vigorous champion of the cause.

Senator LOGAN as the junior representative of Kentucky in the upper House of Congress was a staunch supporter of the Roosevelt program since 1933. While he may not have agreed always with all the President's proposals, he was in the main an administration man. The Senator championed the Roosevelt program and the New Deal because he was a man of the plain people. He believed in those principles that meant true democracy rather than merely being a Democrat in party name.

Senator LOGAN's strong forte was the law. Many of his friends thought he should have gone far in the Federal judiciary, for he was never happier than when delving into the Constitution and the principles and interpretation of the law. It was for this reason that Senator LOGAN did noble duty as a member of the Senate Judiciary Committee. It was he who had sponsored a measure to create a new Federal judicial district in Kentucky.

The State of Kentucky has lost a vallant servant in the passing of Senator LOGAN; the Nation has lost a champion of what was reasonable and just.

[From the Western Recorder, Louisville, Ky., October 12, 1939]

PASSING OF SENATOR MARVEL MILLS LOGAN

Hon. MARVEL MILLS LOGAN, the junior Senator of Kentucky, died suddenly in Washington, D. C., on October 3, 1939. He served the Commonwealth of Kentucky in many responsible positions, among them chief justice of the highest court of the State. He was known in Washington for his interest in Christian work. He taught regularly a large class of men in the Bethany Baptist Church. He was an active member of the committee on public relations, appointed by

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the southern Baptist convention. He was ever ready to defend the Christian faith. No other man in public life has had so fine a record for unbroken Sunday-school attendance as Senator LOGAN. His going is a loss to our Baptist cause in Washington.

RUFUS W. WEAVER.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Mr. CHAPMAN. Mr. Speaker, under leave granted to extend my remarks today, I include an account of services held before the Court of Appeals, Frankfort, Ky., October 4, 1940, in memory of M. M. LOGAN, late Senator from Kentucky and former chief justice of that court.

The article follows:

HIGH TRIBUTE PAID LATE SENATOR M. M. LOGAN BY STATE LAWYERS AT
FRANKFORT MEMORIAL RITES

(By C. W. Bailey)

FRANKFORT, KY., October 4.—“MARVEL MILLS LOGAN was a man of real value to his State and Nation, and his death has caused the loss of an unusual citizen and a public servant of surpassing usefulness.”

Thus, a special resolutions committee of Kentucky lawyers summarized resolutions paying tribute to the late Senator, former judge and chief justice of the court of appeals, at memorial services before the court of appeals in honor of LOGAN.

Members of the court, too, responded with words of tribute to the character and public service of Senator LOGAN, who died a year ago yesterday.

The resolutions were signed by Benjamin F. Washer, Louisville; Judge Richard Priest Dietzman; Orie Ware, Covington; Leslie W. Morris, Frankfort; Davis M. Howerton, Ashland; George R. Hunt, Lexington; and John B. Rodes, Bowling Green.

“EMINENT SERVICE”

The resolutions read:

“Died at Washington, D. C., October 3, 1939, in the sixty-fifth year of his age, the Honorable MARVEL MILLS LOGAN, after a distinguished career at the bar, an enviable occupancy of the bench, and eminent service in the halls of legislation.

“He was born in Edmonson County, Ky., January 7, 1875. His education consisted of such as a country community supplies. He held no diploma from high school, college, or university. He needed none. All the essentials to progress and preferment came to him from a glowing heart and a strong mind.

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"From 1896 to 1912 he was engaged in the practice of the law at Brownsville, Ky. In 1901 he was declared elected county attorney of Edmonson County and served for 2 years.

"In 1912 he was appointed first assistant attorney general of Kentucky and in 1915 was elected attorney general of the State. He held the position until June 1917, when he resigned to become chairman of the first State tax commission. This office he resigned on December 1, 1918, and resumed the practice of law in Louisville which he continued for more than 3 years.

"MOVED TO BOWLING GREEN

"In 1922 Mr. LOGAN removed to Bowling Green to engage in the practice of the law as a member of the firm of Thomas, Thomas & Logan. The partnership was dissolved in 1926, following his election to the Court of Appeals of Kentucky for a term of 8 years.

"Judge LOGAN served as a member of the court of appeals for 4 years, resigning in 1931, after he had been elected United States Senator. The last 4 months on the bench he presided as chief justice.

"He was a Member of the United States Senate for a full term from 1930 to 1936, was reelected in 1936, and was serving his second term at the time of his death. He occupied his seat in the Senate during the Seventy-second, Seventy-third, Seventy-fourth, Seventy-fifth, and a part of the Seventy-sixth sessions of the Congress.

"Senator LOGAN reached the end of his work at a period when his enlarged experience and matured talents were likely to have been exerted with the greatest utility and at a time when such experience and talent were most needed.

"FULL MEASURE

"Few men of this State have ever occupied offices so varied in character and so vital in the administration of good government. MILLS LOGAN filled to a full measure the requirements of every place to which he was called.

"The occasion does not permit mention of the many things he accomplished for the public service. He left no duty unperformed; no trust was ever betrayed. He sought and held high place with more thought and concern for the duties than for the honors or emoluments thereof.

"His mind was robust rather than nimble; his style of speech and writing significant rather than graceful; his achievements resulted from diligent research and preparation rather than inspiration. But above all other qualities, MILLS LOGAN was possessed of a dominating honesty, a generous human sympathy, the spirit of patriotism and civic virtue.

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"A deep sense of religion created in him a zealous attachment to his church and developed a genuine loyalty to the morals and temperance taught by that church.

"All who enjoyed the privilege of his acquaintance, personal and political, will vouch for the fact that in his make-up there was no malice or meanness. Whatever the turn of an issue might be, his reaction was always without a shade of discontent or a drop of bitterness. He lived by the precept of the prophet * * * 'to do justice, to love mercy, and walk humbly with thy God.'

"NO FINER CHARACTER

"The individual members of the committee presenting this report noted separately his appraisement of Senator LOGAN, and such expressions as these were written:

"No finer character, from the standpoint of ability, clear thinking, integrity of mind and heart, ever graced public office.

"He never hesitated to change his mind as to any decision when convinced that justice and the facts warranted a change.

"His actions were always controlled by diligence, sound judgment, and honesty of purpose.

"His heart could sing as the great heart of Lincoln, with malice toward none, with charity for all.'

"While these words may be dictated by an affectionate remembrance, they still ring true—MARVEL MILLS LOGAN was a man of real value to his State and Nation, and in his death has been lost an unusual citizen and public servant of surpassing usefulness.

"In the name of the profession which he honored, the committee asks that this tribute to ability and worth, this expression of deep regret, be incorporated in the records of this court."

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Remarks by Representative Gregory *Of Kentucky*

MR. GREGORY. Mr. Speaker, again the Grim Reaper has reached out and has taken this time from our midst the Honorable MARVEL MILLS LOGAN, a true Kentucky gentleman, bringing to a close an outstanding and lifelong record of service both to State and Nation.

Senator LOGAN came from humble surroundings in the hills of Edmonson County, made his record which will be everlasting, and now sleeps in peace in the soil of Kentucky which he loved so well. His career as a public servant was outstanding and unusual, having served in many capacities, having been honored with many positions, starting with service to his own county, then advancing to positions of trust and importance in the State government and later attaining a position of leadership in the National Government. As a lawyer, judge, and legislator he was devoted to duty, energetic, and conscientious in his labors, and loyal to his friends. In fraternal circles he was a leader, having served as grand sire of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. He was gracious and affable at all times, well versed in the laws of his State and Nation, and a Christian gentleman, and at no time did he permit any personal duties to take his time from his work in the church of his choice. For many years he taught a Sunday-school class in his home city of Bowling Green, and after coming to Washington he assumed this same responsibility and at the time of his death was teaching a large men's class in Washington.

The cardinal principle of his life was one of service to those less fortunate, and today many useful citizens of this Nation owe to him a debt of gratitude for his unselfishness and his interest in aiding them to obtain education and attaining a position of usefulness in life. I think Leigh Hunt must have

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had in mind a man like Senator LOGAN when he wrote Abou Ben Adhem, describing one who loved his fellow men.

In the passing of this great man, a vacancy has been created which will never be filled. The Nation has lost a sincere and able statesman, his family an indulgent and loving husband and father, and I have sustained a deep personal loss in the passing of a true friend and counselor.

Regardless of the kind of monument which may be erected to his memory, the great and towering monument of public achievement, benefaction, and patriotic service which he left will continue to live in the hearts of a grateful people which is best expressed in the lines of the one who said:

You may break, you may shatter the vase, if you will,
But the scent of the roses will hang 'round it still.

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Remarks by Representative Spence *Of Kentucky*

Mr. SPENCE. Mr. Speaker, in the death of Senator MARVEL MILLS LOGAN, not only Kentucky but the Nation has sustained a great loss. He served the people of his native State in positions of trust and responsibility for many years, and in the discharge of the duties of the various positions he held, he brought to himself great honors and the confidence and the affectionate regard of his people.

He was nominated for the office of Attorney General of Kentucky in 1915 without opposition, and was elected and served until June 1, 1917, when he resigned to be appointed chairman of the first State tax commission of Kentucky, which put into effect a new system of taxation. A progressive and enlightened tax system that does equal justice to all is one of the great fundamentals of our constitutional government. He served in this position with great distinction and rendered splendid service to his State in this new field of economic research and legal progress until November 1, 1918, when he resigned to engage in the private practice of law. In 1926 he was nominated and elected judge of the court of appeals—the highest court of the State. He served as a member of the court until January 1, 1931, when he became chief justice. He held this position until he became United States Senator for the term ending in 1937. He was reelected on November 3, 1936, for a second term. He died on October 3, 1939.

Senator LOGAN was a man of great ability. He was devoted to his profession. He was an able, hard-working, pains-taking lawyer, and no one stood higher in that great profession in the State of Kentucky than he. Because of his well-known ability, his services were eagerly sought, not only

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by the people of Kentucky, but when not holding public office and engaged in private practice, by numerous clients who entrusted him with many important matters. His services on the State tax commission were outstanding, and have been generally recognized.

As Senator of the United States, he immediately obtained and has held the confidence and respect of his colleagues. He was an indefatigable worker, and I presume no Member of the Senate wrote more reports than he. Senator LOGAN did not resort to any of the arts of the politician to obtain publicity or to seek popularity. He was a man of simple tastes, modest in his demeanor, easily approachable, and always willing to render what service he could to all who sought his help. He was a devout man. For years he taught a Bible class in his church at home; and when he came to Washington he immediately connected himself with his church here, and his services were immediately sought as a teacher of the Bible class in Washington. He gained a great reputation as a profound student of the Bible; and his private life as husband, father, brother, and friend, and his public life, was entirely in accord with the religious precepts he taught. As a Senator, because of his indefatigable energy and because of his profound knowledge of the law and because of the great confidence of his colleagues, he was most successful in securing the passage of legislation which he sponsored. In every relationship of life, Senator LOGAN measured up to the highest standards.

The State of Kentucky will miss his splendid services. His colleagues will miss his eagerly sought assistance, and the Nation is poorer because of the passing of this able, kindly, hard-working man. When the history of Kentucky is written in the future, the name of MARVEL MILLS LOGAN will be inscribed in bold letters on its pages, and a grateful people will cherish his memory and will recount his good deeds and his many great services.

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Remarks by Representative Pittenger *Of Minnesota*

Mr. PITTENGER. Mr. Speaker, announcement of the death of Senator MARVEL MILLS LOGAN, of Kentucky, on Tuesday, October 3, was received with sorrow by his many friends throughout the United States and Canada. I have been acquainted with him since September 1920, when I met him at Boston, Mass., at the Annual Session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. At that time he was a Representative of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky. Thereafter I met him annually at those conventions until the time of his demise.

When I met him he was attorney general of the State of Kentucky. I afterward knew him as a member of the Court of Appeals of the State of Kentucky. Then I knew him as United States Senator from that State. All his life he has been active in public affairs. As a Member of the United States Senate he was chairman of the Committee on Claims. This committee considered a bill in which Minnesota people were interested. It affected thousands of families and involved a substantial sum of money. Senator LOGAN was chairman of the subcommittee, and due to his wide grasp of problems of this country, we were able to command his attention and his sympathetic consideration of this important measure. I mention this to show the great humanitarian viewpoint which always actuated him in public life.

His public career is ended but all of us classify him in the language which Lord Tennyson used in his ode on the death of the Duke of Wellington. This language of Lord Tennyson is said to be the finest tribute ever written. He said:

He stood four squared,
To all the winds that blow.

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So may it be said of Senator LOGAN that he was a leader in the affairs of Government in this country and his integrity, loftiness of purpose, his outstanding ability, marked him as a man worthy of this tribute.

Of course, I knew him as a friend, and I express the sentiments of a multitude of people when I say that to know him was to love him and that every individual who came within the sphere of his influence was benefited thereby.

Senator LOGAN never lost his touch with mankind and the greater his honors in public life, as well as in his private life, the greater seemed to be his common appeal to the men and women of America. I express what I think is the unanimous sentiment of everyone that knew him:

Green be the turf above thee
Friend of my better days,
None knew thee but to love thee,
None loved thee but to praise.

With the passing of our friend, Senator LOGAN, the fraternal circle has lost one of its great workers and leaders. The world was truly his home, and to do good was his religion. With Senator LOGAN it was a sound approach to life to say that all men were brothers, and consequently he subscribed to those lofty fraternal sentiments which preach the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man.

I first met him, as I have heretofore indicated, as a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. He was a representative from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky. I was a representative from the Grand Lodge of Minnesota. As the years passed by, his qualities of leadership in the fraternity were demonstrated, and in September 1929 he was installed as grand sire of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. He served in this capacity until September 1930. This mark of distinction is attained by only a few. It came to him in recognition of his outstanding devotion to all of the fine ideals which the great fraternity over which he presided has proclaimed to the world. He was a real leader. He inspired

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confidence. He practiced in his daily life the doctrines of friendship and love and truth.

He loved his fellow men, and they loved and trusted him. A poem that has touched the hearts of men describes the visit of an angel who interviewed Abou Ben Adhem.

Senator LOGAN, as this man of old, loved his fellow men. I liken him to this character. I close my brief tribute to his memory by commending as typical of the character of Senator LOGAN the sentiment expressed by the ancient friend in the following verse:

Abou Ben Adhem (may his tribe increase)
Awoke one night from a deep dream of peace,
And saw, within the moonlight in his room,
Making it rich and like a lily in bloom,
An angel writing in a book of gold.
Exceeding peace had made Ben Adhem bold,
And to the presence in the room he said:
"What writest thou?" The vision raised its head
And, with a look made of all sweet accord,
Answered, "The names of those who love the Lord."
"And is mine one?" said Abou. "Nay; not so,"
Replied the angel. Abou spoke more low,
But cheerily still, and said, "I pray thee, then,
Write me as one that loves his fellow men."
The angel wrote and vanished. The next night
It came again with a great wakening light,
And showed the names whom love of God had blessed,
And, lo! Ben Adhem's name led all the rest.

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Remarks by Representative Bulwinkle *Of North Carolina*

Mr. BULWINKLE. Mr. Speaker, as chairman of the Committee on Memorials, I wish to extend my remarks upon the life, character, and public services of the Honorable MARVEL MILLS LOGAN, Senator from the State of Kentucky, by inserting in the Record the address of the Honorable JAMES J. DAVIS, senior Senator from the State of Pennsylvania.

ADDRESS BY HON. JAMES J. DAVIS, SENIOR SENATOR FROM THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

I speak with deep feeling when I say Senator MARVEL MILLS LOGAN was a Christian statesman, a wonderful friend, and a jurist of rare abilities. During our days together in the Senate I had more than the usual opportunity to know him because we had a general pair which provided for such times as we were compelled to be absent from our places. And this gave me frequent occasion to consult with him. Thus I learned the fine qualities of his mind and spirit.

Senator LOGAN began to show an interest in politics from the time he began practicing law in his home town in Brownsville, Ky., at the age of 22. He held his first political office at the age of 28, when he became county attorney, and by 1912 he had become first assistant attorney general of Kentucky. Four years later he was attorney general of the State.

In 1931 Judge LOGAN, a massive man, 6 feet, 4 inches in height, with heavy graying hair, was elected to the United States Senate. After only a few months in the Senate he said that he had never held an office that did not compel him to resign and go back to work to make a living and try to pay back debts. Nevertheless, he remained on in the Senate and stood successfully for reelection in 1936.

Senator LOGAN showed an early interest in Odd Fellowship and was a member of all the branches of that great fraternal order. In his capacity as grand sire of the order throughout the world in 1930, he proved to be one of the most conscientious, hard working, and loyal men to ever grace that office. It came to him in recognition of his outstanding devotion to all of the fine ideals which the great fraternity over which he presided has proclaimed to the world.

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He practiced in his daily life the doctrines of friendship and love and truth.

Senator LOGAN's private and official life was characterized by deep sincerity and high purpose. He was a sound thinker, a prodigious worker, and he lived true to the courage of his convictions. He dedicated his efforts to tireless and unflinching championing of representative government. He was ever loyal to his State of Kentucky and to the people of this Nation. We who knew him well mourn his passing. He was judicial in his approach to contemporary problems and thoroughly independent in his points of view. I appreciated especially his fine Christian spirit of toleration and his genial good will. Senator LOGAN was one of the most conscientious, industrious, loyal men who ever graced the Senate of the United States. We have not lost our friend for he continues to abide in spirit with us. As Francis Thompson has said:

"There is nothing lives but something dies,
And there is nothing dies but something lives.
Till skies be fugitives,
Till time, the hidden root of change, updrives,
Are birth and death inseparable on earth,
For they are twain, yet one, and death is birth."

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FRIDAY, April 25, 1941.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Morning business is closed. Under the order of the Senate previously entered, the legislative business of the Senate is now suspended in order that memorial addresses may be delivered on deceased Members of the Senate.

Rev. Albert J. McCartney, D. D., pastor, Covenant-First Presbyterian Church, of Washington, D. C., offered the following prayer:

Very presently this honorable body is to discharge memorial offices of affection and respect for those, your fellow Members, who during recent years have passed into the beyond. Our devotions, therefore, will have regard to these offices:

"Let us now praise famous men and our fathers that begat us,

"The Lord hath wrought great glory by them through His great power from the beginning.

"Such as did bear rule in their kingdoms, men renowned for their power, giving counsel by their understanding, and declaring prophecies.

"Leaders of the people by their counsels, and by their knowledge of learning meet for the people, wise and eloquent in their instructions.

"Rich men furnished with ability, living peaceably in their habitations.

"All these were honored in their generations and were the glory of their times.

"Their bodies are buried in peace; but their names liveth for evermore."

Let us pray.

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Almighty God, who art Thyself the source of light and love, of life and immortality, we pray for the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, that we may be instructed how to worship Thee under the shadow as well as in the sunshine; in the place and incident of death as well as in all the joy and service, the love, affection, and friendship of this present earthly pilgrimage. We praise Thee for our rich heritage of able and self-sacrificing men who have laid their lives upon the altar of the Nation's welfare. May these, Thy servants, who carry on, hear in the memory of their fellow Senators the strongest summons to be good and true. In these anxious hours of our Nation's destiny, may the brevity and uncertainty of life make us all more earnest to render a worthy account of our stewardship. May we more and more realize the necessity of seeking that counsel and that wisdom which cometh down from above and is profitable to direct. Make us willing as a people to make such sacrifices as may seem necessary for the preservation of our land and liberties.

O Lord God, save the people, establish us in righteousness, and give us peace. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Mr. BARKLEY. Mr. President, I submit a resolution which I send to the desk and ask to have read and considered.

The VICE PRESIDENT. The resolution will be read.

The resolution (S. Res. 99) was read, as follows:

Resolved, That the Senate has heard with profound sorrow of the death of Hon. M. M. LOGAN, late a Senator from the State of Kentucky.

Resolved, That as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased the business of the Senate be now suspended to enable his associates to pay tribute to his high character and distinguished public service.

Resolved, That the Secretary communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

Resolved, That as a further mark of respect to his memory the Senate at the conclusion of these exercises shall stand adjourned.

Address by Senator Barkley
Of Kentucky

Mr. BARKLEY. Mr. President, I wish briefly to address myself to the resolution which refers to my late colleague, Senator M. M. LOGAN. The list of our late colleagues in whose honor we meet today, consisting, as it does, of some of the most outstanding Members who have served in this body in many years, calls anew to our attention the shortness of life, and the unusual list of casualties which have been suffered by the Senate. It would be my desire, if I had the time, to have something to say about each of the deceased Members of this body. Later, if time permits, I may have a word to say about others than my late colleague. I now desire to speak concerning my late colleague, Senator LOGAN.

The life of Senator LOGAN typifies the opportunities of America as fully as does the life of any Member who has ever served in this body or anyone who has ever served in any public capacity. He died in the sixty-fifth year of his life. He was born in January 1875, in the county of Edmonson in the State of Kentucky. He was not born in affluent circumstance; he was not born of aristocratic parents, although he came of solid, substantial American lineage.

He was educated in the common schools of that county, whose county seat is the little town of Brownsville. He supplemented his education in the common schools by a term or two in a private institution. Like many other men who have later distinguished themselves in public or private life, he began his career by teaching school in the rural sections of his State.

To show his natural inclination to political life and his aptitude for it, at the age of 21 he was made chairman of the county committee of his party, which was the Democratic

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Party. Later he was elected county attorney of his county, although as a rule that county gave its allegiance politically to the party in opposition to that to which Senator LOGAN belonged.

He was not only interested in the law, but he began his public career by serving 2 years as a prosecutor. He was interested in education, and served for a while on the board of examiners for public-school teachers in the county in which he lived, and later served on the Board of Education of the State of Kentucky. He became a second assistant attorney general of the State, and later became first assistant attorney general, and later, without opposition, was nominated for the position of attorney general of Kentucky, and was elected. Before his term expired he resigned to become chairman of the first State tax commission, created by the legislature under a revised and somewhat modernized tax system which had been authorized. He served as chairman of the State tax commission, and showed in that capacity, as in all others, not only that he was a profound lawyer but that he had some knowledge of economics and the theory of taxation. I think I may say that it is due largely to the beginning this new tax system had under the chairmanship of Senator LOGAN that it has been as successful as it has been since its adoption and creation.

He resigned from that position before the term for which he was appointed had expired, and resumed the practice of law in the city of Louisville, and later in the city of Bowling Green, which is the seat of one of the great educational institutions of Kentucky; and that was his home until the day of his death.

He became a candidate for the highest court in the State of Kentucky, which we know as the court of appeals. He was elected to a full term of 8 years. As a member of our highest court, before his term had expired in that high position, he was nominated without opposition for a seat in the United States Senate, and was elected in 1930, taking his seat

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on March 4, 1931, for the term beginning on that date and ending March 4, 1937, upon which date, by reason of his subsequent election to another full term, he entered upon his duties in this body in his second term.

So, Mr. President, beginning, as the life of Senator LOGAN did, in the most humble circumstances, reared among the rugged scenes of a somewhat hilly, if not mountainous, section of his State, breathing in from the very earliest childhood which he could recall the inspiration of rugged scenery and rugged surroundings, because of merit and because of ability and character which inspired the confidence of the people, he rose not only to one of the highest stations in American public life but to the highest estimation and esteem of the people of his State and the people of the United States.

Senator LOGAN was a great lawyer. His life was devoted to the law. There is not much difference between the practice of law and the enactment of laws. Every man who, in the performance of his duties here or in other legislative bodies, helps to frame or enact or interpret legislation which becomes the law automatically becomes more or less a lawyer. Senator LOGAN had a very well-trained and keen legal mind. Whenever he devoted himself assiduously to the study of a problem, and brought the fruit of his labors to the floor of the Senate, I think those who served with him here will testify to the fact that he illuminated it in an exhaustive way, not in excitement and not in frivolous allusion, not in any superficial way; but, being a profound student of the law, he brought his knowledge and experience to the dispassionate consideration of every legislative problem that faced him and faced the Senate during his incumbency as a Member.

Not only was he a great lawyer, Mr. President, but he was a great humanitarian. He believed in the brotherhood of man. He was a great fraternalist. He devoted much of his time and his talents to a great fraternal organization in the United States, known as the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, with which all of us are familiar, and of which

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some of us are members. He rose to the highest station in that organization—that of grandsire of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows—because of his devotion to that order and his belief in the doctrines and practices of fraternity. That particular organization has as its motto, “Friendship, love, and truth.” No man within my knowledge ever more completely or more fully exemplified those attributes toward his fellow man than did Senator LOGAN.

Not only was he a great lawyer and a great fraternalist but he was a great Christian. I dare say that he is the only Member of the United States Senate who for 30 years, without interruption, no matter where he might be on a particular Sabbath, if there was an opportunity, taught a men’s Bible class. For years he taught a men’s Bible class in the little town of Brownsville, the county seat of the county in which he was born. While he was assistant attorney general and attorney general and a member of the court of appeals at Frankfort he taught a Bible class; and when he came to Washington as a Member of the Senate he taught a Bible class in this city on every Sunday unless he was unavoidably detained through some form of inability to attend.

Mr. President, in the busy life in which we are compelled to be occupied here, with all the complex and intricate problems that face us as legislators, and with all the clouds that hover about us not only as legislators but as members of organized society, it is an unusual tribute to be able to pay to one of our Members that in spite of all these things, for more than a generation he devoted himself on every Sabbath Day to the teachings of the Bible and to the inculcation of its principles into the hearts and souls and lives of men.

On March 2, 1938, in this Chamber, Senator LOGAN made a speech on religion and national defense which it would repay any Senator to read. I desire to quote a paragraph or two from that speech:

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I may say—

Said Senator LOGAN—

that I am sufficiently old-fashioned to believe in the Bible. I believe in the God of Moses, Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. I believe sincerely that Jesus Christ was divine and that through His suffering and death He made possible the salvation of man. I believe in His teachings as found in the four Gospels when interpreted, as I am quite sure it was His intention to have them interpreted. Since I was a youth I have sought in my humble way, and perhaps feebly, to help spread abroad throughout the world the Christian religion. I believe it is only through following these teachings, so simple and so easily understood, that eventually the world may become a fit abiding place. I believe that it is through the instrumentality of men who are His followers that this achievement may be brought about.

I believe in churches and church organizations, regardless of creed. Believing those things and remaining steadfast in my faith, I cannot subscribe to a policy which, in my judgment, eventually will destroy the Christian religion to such an extent that through long ages man will have to establish these principles again in a benighted world.

Christianity has had its trials and its bright and dark days. Had it not been for Charles Martel at Poitiers in A. D. 732, the Arabs would have completed their destruction of all those nations who held to the faith which I have above expressed. If there were Christians in that day who railed against preparations for national defense, they were in exactly the same position as are the Christians in America today who protest against our making adequate preparations to defend our country.

I do not want war. I hope that I may never see another war. I have greater reasons than most men to hate war, and yet I am proud that there has not been a war since early colonial days in which my family, down to the present generation, has not made sacred some spot in our Nation with blood shed in defense of the things which have made our Nation great.

He goes on in the speech from which I have quoted to discuss further his belief in the things of which he speaks.

So, Mr. President, I mourn his loss, as we all do; so I know that the State of Kentucky, which honored him and which he

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honored, echoes the thoughts and feelings which will be expressed here today in tribute to his memory. I am proud to be able to speak these feeble words of appreciation of a really great American, in testimony of his service to mankind, to the sweetness of his soul, to the genuineness of his devotion to American democracy and the Christian religion and the civilization of which they are a part.

So long as real character, so long as sincerity and devotion are honored among men, so long as courage in the expression of opinions and views may be cherished in this Nation or in the world, the memory of Senator LOGAN will occupy a hallowed place in our minds and in our hearts.

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Address by Senator Chandler *Of Kentucky*

Mr. CHANDLER. Mr. President, I should like to add a brief word to the very beautiful tribute which has just been paid by my distinguished colleague to the late Senator MARVEL MILLS LOGAN, who was my predecessor in this office.

Senator LOGAN was born in 1875 in Edmonson County, Ky., which was then considered one of the remote districts of our country. By sheer courage and determination and will power, which exists so abundantly in the hearts of men in that section of the country particularly, he literally lifted himself up to an exalted position among the people of his own Commonwealth and among the people of the United States of America.

He was a product of the plain people and remained a plain and, in many ways, a simple man all his life. He was devoted always to the welfare of the plain people of his State and of the Nation. He held during his lifetime numerous public offices, commencing with membership on the board of trustees of the small town of Brownsville, Ky. He held, in succession, the office of county attorney of his county, assistant attorney general for the Commonwealth; was elected to the attorney generalship of the State, without opposition, in 1915; later became the first chairman of the tax commission, and then a member of the highest court in the State, following which he was twice elected to the Senate of the United States.

Senator LOGAN was a profound student. He was a good lawyer. If he had desired to remain in the legal profession, it is my opinion that he would have made one of the outstanding judges of America.

In 1912 he married Miss Della Haydon, of Glasgow Junction, Ky., a childhood sweetheart from a neighboring county, and there survive him today four children, all of them good citizens of our country.

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His devotion to the Odd Fellows' lodge and his determination to see that young men and young women had opportunities which had not been given him in his early childhood distinguished his entire lifetime.

He gained almost every goal that he set for himself except wealth. It is a sad commentary that there are those men in public office today who work for little pay, who give to the country long hours of faithful public service, and wind up at the end of the road sometimes without a sufficient amount of money to meet the ordinary expenses or obligations which must be incurred.

He taught a Sunday-school class for more than 30 years. He was a devout and religious man, and believed sincerely in Almighty God.

They took him back after his service had ended here, and buried him in the hills of Edmonson County, among the plain people whom he loved so much and by whom he was so greatly loved.

There are those of us who believe:

And those that were good shall be happy; they shall sit in a golden chair;

They shall splash at a 10-league canvas with brushes of comets' hair;
They shall find real saints to draw from—Magdalene, Peter, and Paul;
They shall work for an age at a sitting and never be tired at all!

And only the Master shall praise us, and only the Master shall blame;
And no one shall work for money, and no one shall work for fame;
But each for the joy of working, and each in his separate star
Shall draw the thing as he sees it, for the God of things as they are!

I think, perhaps, I can envision him today on the ramparts of Valhalla with his comets' hair brush undertaking to paint for the Master and to work for Him just as he did in his lifetime.

May his soul rest in peace among those rugged hills he loved so much; may the perpetual light of God's countenance be upon him always. He inherited a good name; he kept it for his children; his country and his Commonwealth are better, much better, because he lived.

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The VICE PRESIDENT. The question is on agreeing to the resolution submitted by the Senator from Kentucky [Mr. Barkley].

The resolution was unanimously agreed to.

The VICE PRESIDENT. The addresses contemplated by the order adopted by the Senate having been concluded, as a further mark of respect to the memory of the deceased Senator, the Senate stands adjourned until Tuesday next.

Thereupon (at 3 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m.) the Senate adjourned, the adjournment being under the order previously entered, until Tuesday, April 29, 1941, at 12 o'clock meridian.

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TUESDAY, *October 3, 1939.*

The Chaplain, Rev. ZēBarney T. Phillips, D. D., offered the following prayer:

Eternal and Unchangeable God, who, in the time of shadow and darkness, canst be our only true and lasting light, in whom alone we find rest for our weariness and comfort for our sorrow: Look upon us with Thy mercy, and give unto us the spirit of understanding promised by Thy dear Son as we pause in reverence to pay loving tribute to him who but yesterday was in our midst serving his country and his God with pure heart and unfeigned lips. Receive him, dear Lord, unto Thyself, and grant that he may go from strength to strength in that life of perfect service which it is Thine to give.

Enfold in Thine everlasting arms the loved ones who remain; and may the influence of this true disciple of the Holy and merciful Saviour abide with us in all our deliberations, enabling us the better to find God in our duty and in the range and richness and mastery of our own powers. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Mr. BARKLEY. Mr. President, we have all been profoundly shocked today by the news of the sudden death of my late colleague, Senator LOGAN. By the death of Senator LOGAN the Senate of the United States is deprived of the services of one of the most conscientious, sincere, hard-working, and loyal men who ever graced this body with his membership.

I have known Senator LOGAN practically all my life. He was assistant attorney general of Kentucky, he was attorney general of Kentucky, he was chairman of the newly organized tax commission at the time the State legislature created a

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tax commission. He was a member of our highest court—the court of appeals—and was chief justice of the Court of Appeals of Kentucky at the time he resigned to become a Member of the United States Senate. Whether in public or in private life, whether in his fraternal relationships, which were Nation-wide, or in his association with us here in committees and on the floor, I believe I can say of him as justly as was ever said of any man that he was, in truth, a Christian statesman.

For more than 30 years, notwithstanding his arduous duties as a Member of this great body, Senator LOGAN taught a Bible class wherever he found himself on the Sabbath. Nothing could cause him to depart from his routine of Christian life. I mourn him as a statesman and as a Kentuckian; I deplore his loss as a devoted, lifelong friend.

At a later date I will request the Senate to afford an opportunity for more elaborate expression with respect to his public life and private character. For the time being I offer the resolution which I send to the desk and ask unanimous consent for its immediate consideration.

The VICE PRESIDENT. The resolution will be read.

The resolution (S. Res. 190) was read, considered by unanimous consent, and unanimously agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That the Senate has heard with profound sorrow and deep regret the announcement of the death of Hon. M. M. LOGAN, late a Senator from the State of Kentucky.

Resolved, That a committee of nine Senators be appointed by the Vice President to take order for superintending the funeral of the deceased Senator.

Resolved, That the Secretary communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

The VICE PRESIDENT subsequently, under the second resolving clause, appointed the following Senators to take order for superintending the funeral of the deceased Senator: Mr. Barkley, Mr. Ashurst, Mr. McKellar, Mr. Frazier, Mr. Austin, Mr. Burke, Mr. Minton, Mr. Truman, and Mr. Miller.

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Mr. BARKLEY. As a further mark of respect to the memory of my deceased colleague, I move that the Senate do now adjourn.

The motion was unanimously agreed to; and (at 12 o'clock and 5 minutes p. m.) the Senate adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, October 4, 1939, at 12 o'clock meridian.

FRIDAY, *October 6, 1939.*

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Chaffee, one of its reading clerks, transmitted to the Senate the resolutions of the House adopted as a tribute to the memory of Hon. M. M. LOGAN, late a Senator from the State of Kentucky.

The message announced that pursuant to resolution of the House the Speaker pro tempore had appointed Mr. May, Mr. Spence, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Creal, Mr. O'Neal, Mr. Robsion of Kentucky, Mr. Bates of Kentucky, Mr. Gregory, and Mr. Vincent of Kentucky, members of a committee on the part of the House to join the committee appointed on the part of the Senate to attend the funeral of the deceased Senator.

FRIDAY, *October 13, 1939.*

The VICE PRESIDENT laid before the Senate resolutions of the one hundred and fourth annual session of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, at Prestonsburg, Ky., unanimously adopted as a tribute to the memory of Hon. M. M. LOGAN, late a Senator from the State of Kentucky, which were ordered to lie on the table.

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THURSDAY, *August 1, 1940.*

Mr. DAVIS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to have printed in the Appendix of the Record an eloquent tribute to the late Senator M. M. LOGAN by George McCombs, delivered on Memorial Day, May 30, at the Brownsville Lodge, No. 164, Independent Order of Odd Fellows. These words will bring back to the Members of the Senate, and all who read them, the splendid abilities and deep-hearted spirit of Senator LOGAN.

There being no objection, the address was ordered to be printed in the Record, as follows:

ADDRESS BY GEORGE M'COMBS

For many years past this day of each year has been designated, set aside, and observed as the day to pay tribute to our dead. It has been a day of sad memories and of tears. At this time the hearts of our people are unusually burdened and saddened on account of the wretched and terrible conditions prevailing in a large portion of the world—greed, avarice, heartless cruelty. War and destruction are loosened and running rampant.

These vicious and destructive forces have gathered great momentum and are sweeping away the most cherished hopes and virtues of mankind, namely, life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness, leaving in its wake death, suffering, misery, and despair. These things dearest to the hearts of our people are being crushed and destroyed in other parts of the world. And while we rejoice that these destructive forces of war, misery, and despair have not invaded our country nor directly visited its wrath upon us, and while we hope and pray that it may not, yet we realize that these terrible war clouds of the east which have produced this disastrous conflagration have cast shadows across the pathways of our people and shut out the sunshine of life. The thunderous roar of its devices and instruments of cruel destruction strikes terror to the hearts of the people, and today American people stand with bowed heads at the graves of its dead.

Our beloved deceased brother to whose memory we now pay tribute was at the time of his death known to the country at large as the Honorable M. M. LOGAN, United States Senator from Kentucky. To us he was, he is, and always will be simply "MILLS" LOGAN, our friend and brother of Edmonson County. He was a product of Edmonson County pure and simple. He was the product of the forces of Nature working together in unison and harmony with the hills, the streams, and the people of Edmonson County over a

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period of 150 years. That made him what he was. Before leaving Edmonson County he possessed and had demonstrated every qualification and attribute of mind and of heart that later characterized his distinguished and honored life of public service to the people. His life was a pride, a blessing, and an honor to the county that gave him birth, and provided and instilled within him those characteristic virtues that made him useful and great. In return he did more than any other person, living or dead, to bring respect to Edmonson County.

Despite the weakness and poverty of Edmonson County compared with others as to territory, population, and wealth, it was never his embarrassment or apology but his pride and inspiration in meeting and discharging public duty and trust in the higher positions of public service. He was not from Edmonson County but was and is and always will be of Edmonson County. Hence, it is entirely fitting and proper and in keeping with his expressed wishes that his last resting place be at the scenes of his childhood and that his remains be returned to the spot that gave him birth.

Thirty-six years ago he was a leader in a movement to establish the Odd Fellows' lodge that we represent today. He was one of the 13 charter members of this organization created for the purpose of the diffusion of the principles of benevolence and charity and the teachings of friendship, love, and truth. Before entering this fraternal order he possessed in an unusual degree every characteristic and virtue required to make a good and useful member. He rapidly rose to distinction and leadership in his home lodge and brought State-wide, Nation-wide, and world-wide distinction and honor to himself and our Odd Fellows' lodge. He occupied and graced every position of trust and honor in this great order and, becoming sovereign grand master of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the World, he carried the message of the achievements of Brownsville Lodge No. 164 across the seas.

It required on MILLS LOGAN's part no effort or sacrifice to live Odd Fellowship. His every heartthrob beat in unison and sympathy with the teachings of the order. Living, spreading, and teaching the principles of benevolence and charity were the natural and spontaneous outflow of his great soul. He was the good samaritan to the wounded, the neglected, and the distressed. He found great pleasure in relieving misery, in caring for the sick in mind or body, and to assist in educating the orphan was part of his religion. Of all his great virtues, charity was his outstanding characteristic. His love for and desire to help his fellowman knew no bounds. His sympathies were always with the poor, the weak, the wronged, and

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the underprivileged. He was as meek as the lowly Nazarene, and the humblest and least deserving could always approach him with assurance of a kindly, sympathetic hearing, and were never repulsed or turned away empty handed. To those who may have reviled or spitefully used him, he held no malice or animus. His life was a life of unremitting toil and sacrifice to and for people, and were everyone to whom he did a favor or loving sacrifice to bring today a flower to lay upon his grave he would sleep tonight under a heavy blanket of blossoms that would bank high up this beautiful and enduring granite monument that marks his last resting place.

He was loyal, faithful, and true to his people, to his lodge, to his church and to his Creator. He never forsook or neglected a friend. He never betrayed or abused any trust confided to him by the people.

The life and achievements of Senator LOGAN is a challenge and an inspiration to the youth of the land and especially to the youth of Edmonson. He has blazed the way from the old log cabin that stands in sight of this monument, to the United States Senate. He has shown that it can be done despite poverty and obscurity or lack of educational advantages.

He has proven that:

"Honor and fame from no condition rise" and has taught the valuable lesson to "act well your part; there all the honor lies."

As he consistently climbed to higher positions of useful services and honor his burdens became heavier and finally his burdens became so great that his physical being was so tired and exhausted that he has lain down by the wayside to rest, using his burdens for a pillow, and has fallen into that dreamless sleep.

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, sayeth the Spirit, that they may rest from their labor; and their works do follow them."

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THURSDAY, October 5, 1939.

A message from the Senate, by Mr. St. Claire, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Senate has heard with profound sorrow and deep regret the announcement of the death of Hon. M. M. LOGAN, late a Senator from the State of Kentucky.

Resolved, That a committee of nine Senators be appointed by the Vice President to take order for superintending the funeral of the deceased Senator.

Resolved, That the Secretary communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

Resolved, That as a further mark of respect to the memory of the deceased, the Senate do now adjourn.

Mr. RAYBURN. Mr. Speaker, I offer a resolution.

The Clerk read (H. Res. 311) as follows:

Resolved, That the House has heard with profound sorrow of the death of Hon. MARVEL M. LOGAN, a Senator of the United States from the State of Kentucky.

Resolved, That the Clerk communicate these resolutions to the Senate and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased Senator.

Resolved, That a committee of nine members be appointed on the part of the House to join the committee appointed on the part of the Senate to attend the funeral.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair appoints as members of the funeral committee the following Members of the House: Mr. May, Mr. Spence, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Creal, Mr. O'Neal, Mr. Robsion of Kentucky, Mr. Bates of Kentucky, Mr. Gregory, and Mr. Vincent of Kentucky.

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The **SPEAKER** pro tempore. The Clerk will report the balance of the resolution.

The Clerk read as follows:

Resolved, That as a further mark of respect to the memory of the deceased, the House do now adjourn.

The resolution was agreed to; accordingly (at 2 o'clock and 43 minutes p. m.) the House, pursuant to House Resolution 302, adjourned until Monday, October 9, 1939, at 12 o'clock noon.

MONDAY, April 28, 1941.

A message from the Senate, by Mr. Baldrige, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the Senate has heard with profound sorrow of the death of Hon. M. M. LOGAN, late a Senator from the State of Kentucky.

Resolved, That as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased the business of the Senate be now suspended to enable his associates to pay tribute to his high character and distinguished public service.

Resolved, That the Secretary communicate these resolutions to the House of Representatives and transmit a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

Resolved, That as a further mark of respect to his memory the Senate at the conclusion of these exercises shall stand adjourned.





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